

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 1, lines 3-7, as follows:

This is a continuation application of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/499,380, filed November 24, 1999, which in turn is a continuation-in-part application of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/088,385, filed June 1, 1998, now U.S. Patent No. 6,089,950. The present invention generally relates to jointed toy figures and more specifically relates to toy figures with an unusually large number of unique articulating parts which give the figures a particularly realistic look and feel.